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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Charles-Town, October 1, 1772.

THE FIRE-MASTERS,

GIVE NOTICE,

THAT, in conſequence of the great neglect of many of the inhabitants of Charles-Town, in providing buckets and ladders, keeping their chimnies ſwept clean, and of obſerving many other directions, required by the laws now in force, wherein the ſafety and intereſt of the whole community are nearly concerned, they are determined to carry the ſaid laws ſtrictly into execution: And that none may plead ignorance, the following abſtracts are now publiſhed for their information, which the fire-maſters requeſt all perſons concerned ſtrictly to obſerve.

GABRIEL MANIGAULT,
GEORGE SHEED,
JOHN EDWARDS, } Fire-Maſters.

It is enacted, that no perſon or perſons whatſoever in Charles-Town ſhall be permitted to keep any ſtraw or hay in his, her, or their dwelling-houſe or kitchen, or out-houſe, that is joining to his, her, or their dwelling-houſe, on the penalty of the forfeiture of ten pounds for every ſuch offence.

It is enacted, that every owner or tenant of every dwelling-houſe in Charles-Town ſhall provide a leathern bucket of ſix quarts at leaſt, for every fire hearth in ſuch dwelling-houſe, one fourth part of the whole to be ſent to the managers of the fire engines; they are are alſo to provide one ladder of a convenient length for each dwelling-houſe: Which buckets and ladders are to be always ready in caſe of fire, on pain of forfeiting the ſum of ten pounds; alſo, a penalty of thirty ſhillings for every bucket withheld, or refuſed in time of fire, and if any buckets ſhall be loſt at ſuch time, the fire-maſters are to ſupply the owners with others in the room of them.

The charge of providing buckets and ladders is to be borne and paid by the landlords and owners of houſes; but as the ſaid charges may be often paid by the tenant in poſſeſſion, who is made liable in caſe of neglect, it is lawful for ſuch tenant to deduct ſo much out of his rent as he ſhall from time to time expend in providing buckets and ladders.

It ſhall be lawful for the fire-maſters to enter into the houſes, -houſes, ſtables and yards, of every owner or tenant, to en- if they are provided with buckets and ladders; and alſo to ſearch and examine, if any quantities of hay, ſtraw, pitch, roſin, turpentine, oil, tallow, ſulphurous or combuſtible - are lodged in any place within the ſame, which may be danger of taking fire; and if they find there is danger, it is lawful for them, after having admoniſhed the owner of ſuch houſe or houſes, to remove ſuch combuſtible matter (in caſe of refuſing or neglecting to remove the ſame) at the charge of the owner. All perſons who ſhall ſuffer their chimnies to take fire, and blaze out at the top, ſhall forfeit the ſum of five pounds.

Upon any alarm in the night time, every inhabitant is to repair to the place where the fire is, with his arms, under the penalty of forty ſhillings, and ſhall lodge them in ſuch place, near the fire, as ſhall be appointed by the fire-maſters, and the commander of the watch is to order a party of the watch to guard the ſame. All goods and effects removed, are directed to be carried to the place where the arms are directed to be lodged and guarded. The conſtables are to appear with their ſtaves, and aſſiſt in guarding the ſaid goods and effects, till removed to ſome other place of ſafety, under the penalty of five pounds. Any perſon that embezzles any goods or effects, are to be pilloried, have their ears cut off, and forfeit four times the value thereof.

The fire-maſters are impowered to command any perſon or perſons whatſoever, to aid and aſſiſt in pulling down houſes or buildings, for extinguiſhing of fires, to the utmoſt of their ſtrength, power and ability; and in caſe of refuſal, if a white perſon, he ſhall forfeit five pounds, and if a ſlave, he ſhall be publicly whipped. All perſons who ſhall do or execute any thing in obedience to the fire-maſters, are indemnified againſt all perſons whatſoever.

Remarkable or conſiderable ſervices, in preventing or extinguiſhing fires, are to be rewarded by the fire-maſters; and in caſe any perſon ſhall be wounded, maimed, or diſabled, in endeavouring to prevent or extinguiſh fire, a reaſonable allowance, maintainance, or proviſion will be made for ſuch perſons.

The maſters or managers of the engines may command any perſon or perſons whatſoever that ſhall be neareſt at hand, when any fire breaks out, to aid and aſſiſt in conveying the engines to the place where the fire ſhall be. A white perſon refuſing ſhall forfeit forty ſhillings, and a ſlave is to be publicly whipped. A reward of forty ſhillings to every white perſon, and twenty ſhillings to every ſlave, to be paid to thoſe who carry the firſt engine to the place where the fire firſt breaks out.

N. B. Thoſe who have loſt buckets, are deſired to apply to Mr. MANIGAULT.

THE ſubſcriber, intending to leave the province in a ſhort time, thoſe who may have any demands againſt him, are deſired to make the ſame immediately known; and thoſe who are indebted to him, he hopes will be ſo kind as to ſettle with him, that he may be enabled the more eaſily to ſettle his affairs.

He has to diſpoſe of, the following TRACTS of LAND, VIZ.

ONE TRACT of ſix hundred and fifty ACRES:—Another of five hundred acres:—Another of one hundred acres, and another of fifty acres; all of which are partly rice and partly indico lands. Any perſon inclined to purchaſe all or any of the ſaid tracts, may have the ſame on very reaſonable terms.

JAMES SIMPSON,
at Mrs. DAWSON'S, *in Tradd ſtreet.*

A Few Boxes of Mock Caſtile Soap, to be ſold cheap. Apply to the Printer hereof.

THE SUBSCRIBER having been ſome Months in the Comptroller's Office, at the Cuſtom-Houſe, in Charles-Town, and having many Times heard the Merchants complain of the great Loſs of Time, and Trouble they are at in making out Manifeſts, and going through the neceſſary Offices with the Captains, to enter and clear Veſſels, offers his Service to Merchants and Maſters of Veſſels, to make out the Manifeſts, and go with the Captains through all the ſaid Offices, and give every other Advice and Aſſiſtance relating to the Buſineſs of the Cuſtom-Houſe, &c. that may be neceſſary, on very moderate Terms. Having acted as a BROKER at the Cuſtom-Houſe, &c. in London for ſome Years, makes no Doubt of giving general Satisfaction to every Perſon who may favour him with their Commands.

He is to be ſpoke with every Day, at the Comptroller's-Office, from Ten to One, Sundays and Holidays excepted, and at his Houſe in Elliott ſtreet, at all other Times, where Letters and Meſſages will be carefully attended to.

THOMAS SMITH.

At *STOTT'S* MANCHESTER WARE-HOUSE,
In BEADON'S ALLEY,

Juſt arrived in the *Pallas* Capt. *Bailey*, from *London*,

AN aſſortment of broad and narrow York-ſhire cloths and doſkins, ſuperfine ſcarlets, ſtriped and plain cambletts, men and womens worſted and yarn hoſe and caps, black ſilk breeches, pieces of an extra quality, black, blue, green, ſcarlet, and crimſon worſted ditto, mens fine knit, ribbed, ſilk, thread, and worſted hoſe.

A large ASSORTMENT of

Manchester cottons, Iriſh linens, cambricks and lawns, ſcarlet cloaks and cardinals, white and dyed Ruſſia drabs, white and coloured PLAINS *London and Briſtol* DUFFILS, *ſtriped linſeys and ſwanſkins, a few pieces of ſuperfine cloths and caſſimers, men's faſhionable hats, &c. with all kinds of Manchester goods, which will be ſold on their uſual low terms theſe.*

WILLIAM & JAMES CARSAN,

Have received by the PALLAS, Captain BAILEY, from LONDON,

A general SUPPLY of FALL GOODS,
AMONGST WHICH ARE,

ALL kinds of PLANTATION TOOLS, gentleman's compleat ſets of cabinet ditto in ſmall cheſts, broad cloths, German ſerge, and Bath coating, with trimmings, plain and ſtriped combletts, calamancoes of different colours, crimſon and brown double damaſk, flowered and plain black ſatin, ſeveral pieces of the neweſt pattern brocades, with white and coloured grounds, rich flowered tute-ſtrings, with corded and ſatin ſtripes, plain and changeable mantuas, blue and pink grounded ſatin, with white flowers, elegant Wilton carpets; which, with their late importations from London and Briſtol, make a very compleat aſſortment for the preſent ſeaſon, to be diſpoſed of on the uſual terms, at their STORE *on the* BAY. 6 w.

ATKINS & WESTON,

Have juſt imported by the Ship Sally, *Captain* Berry, *and the Snow* Princeſs Royal, *Captain* Jenkins, *both from BRISTOL,*

A VARIETY of GOODS, particularly
DUFFIL BLANKETS, white, green, and blue
NEGRO CLOTH.

ALSO, by the Ship Pallas, *Captain* James Bailey, *from LONDON,*

A great QUANTITY of GOODS,
PARTICULARLY,

A great Aſſortment of broad and narrow CLOTHS, SERGES, BATH COATING, &c. a large Aſſortment of HOSIERY, eſpecially Men and Womens SILK HOSE, printed LINENS, COTTONS, and CALICOES, INDIA CHINTZES, with and without Borders, a great Variety of SILKS, HATS of all Sorts, eſpecially Men and Boys faſhionable Beavers, a few Caſes of handſome green, and Silver Handle Knives and Forks, with Room in each Caſe for Twelve Table Spoons. The Whole of the Goods from London, were bought by Mr. WESTON, ſo that great Care has been taken to obtain them cheap and of elegant Fancies.

BOLSOVER & SHERMAN,
TIN PLATE WORKERS,

Oppoſite Mr. Thomas Pike's Aſſembly Room, in Church ſtreet, have imported in the Mermaid, Capt. Samuel Ball, from LONDON,

A QUANTITY of Globe Lamps, Glaſs LAMPS for Stair Caſes, Barrel Glaſſes, Chamber Lamps of different Sorts, Copper Tea Kettles of all Sizes, Braſs Lock Cocks, and common ditto, with ſundry other Articles.

N. B. At the ſame Place Merchants, Captains of Veſſels, and private Families may be ſupplied with all Sorts of Tin Work on the ſhorteſt Notice; Copper and Braſs tinned and mended. Ready Money given for old Copper, Braſs, and Pewter.

*** Shop and Waſte PAPER to be ſold at *Crouch's* Printing-Office, in Elliott-ſtreet.

FOR SALE,
The following TRACTS of LAND, viz.

In the Pariſh of ST. JAMES, SANTEE.

SIX HUNDRED and FIFTY ACRES, containing 100 Acres of Swamp, for which Reſerves of Water may be made; the Remainder is well timbered with Pine, within two or three Miles of ſeveral Landings; adjoining Lands of Iſaac Mazyck, deceaſed, Theodore Gaillard, Richard Withers, and Lewis Mouzon.

THREE HUNDRED ACRES, containing 50 Acres of Swamp, the Remainder being Pine Land, two Miles from a Landing; adjoining Land of Mrs. M'Gregor, Luke Stoutenburgh, Peter Rembert, Lewis Mouzon, Joſeph Legare, and Peter Sinkler.

TWO HUNDRED and FIFTY ACRES, adjoining Land of Theodore Gaillard, Alexander Mazyck, Paul Deuxſaint, and George Paddon Bond.

TWO HUNDRED and FIFTY ACRES, bounding on the Sea Shore, one Half of which is proper for the Culture of Indico, Hemp, Corn, &c. The Remainder is well timbered with Pine and Firewood, having a Landing thereto; adjoining Land of Daniel M'Gregor, deceaſed, Peter Sinkler, Lewis Mouzon, and Peter Mouzon.

FIVE ACRES, being an Iſland in the South Branch of Santee River, nearly oppoſite Mazyck's Ferry.

FIVE HUNDRED ACRES, containing 300 Acres of High Land, the Remainder being freſh Water Marſh Land; adjoining Land of Sampſon Neyle, John Murrel, and John Williams.

In the Pariſh of ST. STEPHEN.

FIVE HUNDRED and SIXTY ACRES, containing 50 Acres of Swamp, the Remainder is exceedingly well timbered with Pine, within one Mile of a Landing, on Santee River, and nine Miles from Huger's Bridge; adjoining Land of Elias Ball, Lewis Dutarque, Samuel Thomas, and Thomas Cooper.

ONE HUNDRED and SEVENTY ACRES, adjoining Land of Philip Williams, Samuel Bonneau, Gabriel Marion, Peter Couturier, Iſaac Couturier, William Kirk, and Benjamin Coachman.

ONE HUNDRED and SEVENTY FIVE ACRES, adjoining Land of Samuel Cordes, Charles Richbourg, deceaſed, Rene Peyre, and John Cordes, deceaſed.

FIFTY ACRES of River Swamp, adjoining Land of Thomas Cordes, and Rene Peyre, and bounding on Santee River.

In the Pariſh of PRINCE FREDERICK.

TWO HUNDRED ACRES of River Swamp, adjoining Land of John Peyre, Rene and Samuel Richbourg, and Joſeph Palmer.

FIFTY ACRES of River Swamp, adjoining Land of Charles Cantey, Peter Lequeux, John Perrit, Jane Dupey, deceaſed, and James Sinkler.

SIXTY FIVE ACRES of River Swamp, adjoining Land of Theodore Gaillard, jun. James Murray, and Peter Leſeſne, and bounding on Santee River.

In the Pariſh of ST. JOHN, BERKLEY COUNTY.

TWO HUNDRED and FIFTY ACRES, adjoining Land of James Ravenel, Rene Peyre, and Job Marion.

Perſons inclinable to purchaſe any of the above Lands, will find it much to their Advantage to do it ſoon, as the Terms will be much eaſier than at any future Time.

HENRY MOUZON, jun.

For BRISTOL,
(To ſail in about 14 Days)
THE SNOW
PRINCESS ROYAL,
CHARLES JENKINS, Maſter.

BURTHEN about 450 Barrels of Rice, has Half of her Cargo ready for Shipping. For Freighs of the Remainder, apply to ALEXANDER GILLON.

TO BE SOLD by private Contract,

EIGHT as valuable BOAT NEGROES as any in the Province, two of whom are Patroons, who are well acquainted with moſt of the Rivers and Creeks to the Northward and Southward, being uſed to them for upwards of Twelve Years. Their Honeſty and Care with Reſpect to the Rice that they may be entruſted with, can be anſwered for. They would anſwer extremely well for a Country Gentleman who has Boats of his own. The Purchaſer, by giving Bond, with approved Security, and Intereſt, from the Day of Sale, may have what Credit he pleaſes. Apply to WILLIAM ROBERTS.

TO BE LET, and may be entered upon immediately,

A Convenient, airy Brick Tenement, in Anſonborough, with a Kitchen, Chair Houſe, and other Out-buildings, and a Garden. Apply to JAMES LAURENS.

WANTED to purchaſe, TWO SADDLE HORSES, real Engliſh or of the Engliſh Breed, tall, handſome and light made, with long Tails. Thoſe who have ſuch to diſpoſe of, may apply to ALEXANDER ROSE.

A Single, middle aged Woman, who can bring ſufficient Recommendations, would be glad of a Place in a reputable Family, as a Houſe-keeper, Seamſtreſs, or to take Care of Children. For Particulars, apply to the Printer.

ST. JOHN'S, (*Antigua*) SEPTE
Extract of a letter from a gentleman at St. Vinc
bers, dated August 29.

"GENERAL Clavhone, a few days ago,
ment sloop, and Captain Stephenson's
ward of this island, with Captain Gordon, the
Mr. Byers, the principal surveyor, and the ma
cent man of war, with a few marines, &c.
shore and inspect the coast, in order if possible,
proper place to anchor vessels and land some
&c. necessary for the Charib expedition: When
ceived their intention, they immediately alarm
hoisted a white flag, and as soon as the boat with
tlemen, approached the shore near enough, th
volley of musquets at the boat, and continued
as they thought they could reach her with their
fortunately neither killed or wounded any of
weather being then very calm, the sloop was
from the boat, and a long way from the sho
breeze springing up they soon got in shore, and
the boat, under cover of the guns from the gov
effected their design; and I have the pleasure to
found very good anchorage; and at a place call
a good road for vessels, and very convenient land
in the very heart of the Charibe country, and wh
cipal settlement is.---The sloop and boat returned
By this behaviour of the Charibs, it plainly ap
mean strongly to oppose us, and will make an
ance.---The troops from North America are not yet arrived, nor
any news of them; as soon as they come it is the opinion of
every body here we shall begin business."

On Monday last a most dreadful storm happened here, far more violent than the preceding one mentioned in our last week's mercury; it began between one and two o'clock in the morning, continued increasing till near ten, and was not perfectly assuaged till five in the afternoon. To attempt a detail of the mischief done to individuals, by this dreadful tempest, would be endless, as every one has suffered in a greater or less degree; we should fail likewise, were we to attempt by language, to raise any adequate idea of the dreadfulness of the scene; we can only say, that it can be better conceived than expressed, and even here, the most fruitful imagination would fall far short. Let it suffice then for us to say generally,---THAT all the vessels in the different harbours (with very few exceptions, which we shall take notice of hereafter) were either sunk, overset, or driven ashore: Even that secure place English-Harbour was not a sufficient asylum for the vessels there; his Majesty's ships Chatham, Active, Sea-Horse, and Falcon, were driven from their moorings and suffered greatly; the former lost her foremast, and the others have not a mast standing. One ship in the harbour of St. John, by having her masts cut away, with two sloops, in a miraculous manner, rode out the storm; one ship drove to sea, and has not since been heard of; THAT the church, court-house, barracks, and most, if not all, the public buildings are greatly injured; THAT very few, if any, of the houses in St. John's have entirely escaped; THAT all the buildings, wind-mills, works, &c. on every estate, or the greatest part of them, are levelled with the ground; many negroes killed, and many wounded; the cattle, and other live stock, shared the same fate, the ground provisions destroyed, and the prospect of a crop for next year much cut off. The loss sustained by the fire in 1769, cannot be put in competition with the present calamity.

Mrs. White, wife of Mr. George White, merchant, and Dr. Gavin Montgomery, unfortunately lost their lives in the storm; Mr. White had his collar bone broke, and is since dead; and many others, whose names we have not as yet been made acquainted with. By the fall of his Majesty's hospital at English-Harbour, we hear ten of the sick there and the nurse were buried in the ruins.

From Dominica we have an account, that there are fifteen sail of vessels ashore there, but the storm was not so severe as in this island: And the like accounts of the weather from Leeward.

Arrivals. On Wednesday last a sloop, dismasted, from Rhode-Island; on Thursday a brig from Philadelphia, with bread, flour and corn; likewise two sloops with corn.

BASSETERRE, (*St. Christopher's*) SEPTEMBER 9.

By a vessel which arrived from St. Martin's and Saba, we have most dreadful accounts; at Saba, there are 180 houses blown down, the cattle carried away from their stakes, and the people in a most wretched condition, two ships drove ashore from Statia Road, one a Guineaman, and all on board perished. At St. Martin's it is impossible to describe the misery of the inhabitants, most of their houses being blown down and their plantations destroyed.

SEPTEMBER 12.

Extract of a letter from a Gentleman at St. Eustatia, dated September 3, 1772.

"The present serves to advise you of the terrible weather we had here on Monday the 31st ult. which I hope your island did not feel so severe as we have experienced here.---At about eight, A. M. it began to blow strong, and fly round, which occasioned some vessels to drive out of the Road, and others put to sea, about 10 it appeared a confirmed hurricane, attended with a deluge of rain, that brought down such quantities of earth and prickley pear bushes, that rendered the streets impassable, so that many stores and houses are up to their first floors, and many boats that were dragged up in the streets are buried, by 11 the roofs with rafters came flying from off the hill on the houses in the lower town, to the great danger of the inhabitants, the roof of the church and steeple carried away, not a barrack in the fort escaped, nothing left but the walls and cannon, many negroes on the Hill killed, and many whites and blacks much bruised, three parts of the upper town down, and to ascend or descend is attended with great danger, for the torrents of water has made such chasms that it is at the risk of our limbs to pass, as it is impassable for beasts; all the declivity of the hill are strewed with roofs and timber belonging to the houses, as well as great quantities of furniture. Now I descend to the Lower Town, where the force of the wind hath thrown down stone walls, numbers of houses, and whole roofs carried away, the raging sea, so far as it raged, drove down every house in its way, and where intercepted by a stone foundation it hath washed away, whereby whole houses have come down together, in a word the Bay is a heap of ruins, and must make the tender heart sympathize for the distresses of the poor, and to add to their misery, there is no flour in the island, God send us speedily a supply. I could enlarge but time will not admit."

Perhaps among all the various scenes of distress produced by the late hurricane, there is not one more poignant or heartfelt than that of Mrs. Derrickson, for the loss of her son Mr. William Derrickson; this good young man was the staff and support of her age, he was indeed Father, Husband, Son to his Mother. The only consolation left her is hope, for as no certainty of his death is yet arrived it is possible he may have escaped, but every succeeding day weakens that hope; it is certain that he embarked on board Messrs. Henderson and Murray's schooner, in St. Eustatia, about five o'clock in the afternoon, on Sunday preceding the fatal 31st of August, and the vessel has not been heard of since. The filial piety of this youth rendered him justly dear to all who knew him.

SEPTEMBER 16.

Extract of a letter from St. Eustatia, of the 8th, 10th, and 13th instant, September.

"Poor Statia is in a mass of ruins and devastation; on the Hill scarce a house standing, and on the Bay many very much damaged, some entirely down, and many buried up to the tops in the wrecks and rubbish from the Hill. Dismal scene indeed! [illegible] hundreds of poor families sitting in open air, without the

[illegible] Captain Seaton, and the schooner Deep [illegible], both at St. Croix; the former with the loss of her foremast, and the other dismasted. They were supposed to have foundered.

A letter from a Gentleman in St. Croix to a friend in St. Eustatia, concludes thus: "Our General is one of the best and most humane men that ever governed a country. He has taken every step in his power to help the unhappy sufferers; he began by making this a free port; all sorts of provisions, materials for building, negro cloathing, &c. are admitted duty free. He stands by to see the poor people, who lost their all, supplied with the King's provisions. His purse is always open to the distressed; he visits, in person, the sufferers, and affords them all the consolation he can possibly think of. The poor, instead of being spurned from his gate, are courted and requested to make known their grievances. May his days be long and happy; is the wish of every inhabitant of this island."

How happy must those subjects be, whose Governors become the fathers of the people: Cicero, when he was hailed the Father of his Country, did not appear with greater lustre than Jan De Windt, Esq; Governor of St. Eustatia, and Ulrich Wilhelm Von Roepstorff, Esq; Governor General of St. Croix, now do. Their truly tender humanity sets them far above the Roman; and for which we hope they will receive that eternal reward which Kings cannot confer, nor none but the virtuous aspire to. It would be injustice to the worthies of our own country not to mention their names with honour; but so long as the names of M'Call and Kemble, Hunter and Emra, Welch, Moore, and Ellis, remain, they must be esteemed.

CHRISTIANSTÆD, (*St. Croix*) SEPTEMBER 4.

On Monday night last blew the most violent hurricane that has ever been known here, or, perhaps on any island, in the memory of man, words are wanting to describe the horrors of the night; the dreadful roar of raging winds and waves, the crash of falling buildings, the cries and groans of the sufferers, the dying and the wounded, together with a tenfold darkness, made visible only by the Meteors, which, like balls of fire, skimmed along the hills, formed a most terrible and most distressful scene. When morning came, the dismal effects of its fury were seen in every street, and particularly on the rising grounds, where scarce a house is saved, so that nearly one half of the houses in this place were seen thrown down or greatly damaged, which, with the sight of the several dead bodies, filled every face with astonishment. All the vessels in the harbour early in the night broke from their moorings and were drove on shore, where they remain, most of them many yards on dry land. Accounts from the country are yet worse if possible, nearly all the dwelling houses, and every negro house on the plantations swept away by the violence of the gale; and from Frederickstad we hear, there are but three houses left standing. It is remarkable, that the water in almost every butt is become brackish. At present cannot give an exact account of the unhappy persons who were killed, as every hour comes loaded with its dismal tale.

The following people lost their lives on this occasion: James Orr, William Hallett, Alexander Germain, Joseph Muller, John Barry, Solomon Cohan, one name unknown; a man and a woman dangerously wounded; a free mulatto woman and two free negroes killed; six slaves killed, and several wounded.

On this melancholy occasion, his Excellency the general has devised every thing for the relief of the suffering poor that the humanity and goodness of heart which so eminently distinguishes his character, could suggest.

Yesterday arrived here the schooner Hopewell, Captain William Lynn, from St. Eustatia, who parted his cable about nine o'clock on Monday morning last, twenty-five sail of vessels put out at the same time, the wind continued blowing excessive hard from the north till about 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and about 12 the wind shifted to the east, until one, then came to the S. S. E. where it blew a most terrible gale, and continued so till about 12 o'clock at night, at which time it began to moderate, and on Wednesday morning he saw four vessels in a most distressed situation, three without masts, and a large ship lying on her beam ends, but was not able to speak to them, and yesterday he saw a ship under jury masts go into St. Thomas's.

It is said that his Excellency, besides many other occasional donations, has set apart a very handsome sum to be shared amongst the poorest sufferers: It is to be hoped that all whom God has enabled, and on this occasion saved from notable damage, will *go, and do likewise.*

It is said, to the honour of the physical gentlemen, that they have not only with great assiduity applied all their art and skill where called, but have generously resolved to make no charge on their books on this mournful occasion.

This morning arrived here, a large Dutch ship and an English sloop, both under jury masts.

SEPTEMBER 11. It is said that the Burgher-Council [illegible] wait on his Excellency the General with an Address [illegible] in name of the whole body of Burghers of this island [illegible] tender and paternal regard to them shewn as well in [illegible] wholesome regulations by him made, as acts of private [illegible] ence to the sufferers on the late melancholy occasion.

Since our last arrived five sail of vessels dismasted.

Early yesterday morning, Baziel Hughes of East-End [illegible] Planter, on some or other slight provocation, shot [illegible] Hughes, junior, a near relation of his; the ball went [illegible] vertebræ of his neck, broke two of his ribs, and came [illegible] the small of his back, of which he instantly expired. [illegible] of the General, the criminal was arrested and secured [illegible] Fort.---That the Spirit of the first Cain should appear, a [illegible] ther's Blood from the Ground cry thus early after our late [illegible] ful visitation, is matter of equal grief and astonishment [illegible] would seem the measure of the iniquitous of the Land [illegible] yet filled.

PHILADELPHIA, SEPTEMBER 14.

We hear, that the Rev. Charles Beaty, many years a fa[illegible] minister of the gospel at Nesthaminey, in this province, dep[illegible] this life on the 13th day of August last, in Barbados, whe[illegible] went to solicit benefactions for the College of New-Jersey. [illegible] gentleman's amiable virtues in private, and active spirit in pu[illegible] life, render his death universally lamented.

ARLES-TOWN, OCTOBER 6.

day the 26th ult. Barnard Elliott, Esq; was sworn took his Seat as a Member of his Majesty's Council ace.

Gaillard, Benjamin Farrar, and John Bull, Esquires, embers of the new Commons House of Assembly ce; the two first for the Parish of Prince Frederick, for the Parish of St. Peter, Purrysburgh; which e Number of Representatives for this Province.

ast the Brig Amity, Thomas Ash, Master, arrived ondon, in whom came Passengers the Honourable riel Powell, Esq; and his Son Mr. Francis Powell. y his Majesty's Packet Boat Swallow, Captain Wil- nd, arrived here from Falmouth. And,

Day the Eagle Packet Boat, Capt. William Nicholls, he same Place; in whom went Passenger Dr. John f this Town.

out in here, the Sloop Three Marys, Thomas Craw- er, from Tobago for Cape-Fear, who informs, That ast of August, his Excellency Governor Leyburne died ents. In Captain Crawford came Passenger Stephen late Master of the Sloop Dobbs, belonging to Richard q; of Cape-Fear, which was drove ashore at Statia, y lost, in the late Hurricane: The Brig Tryon, Tho- ing, Master, also belonging to Mr. Quince, foundered re Road, and every Soul on board, except a Negro ed.

y his Excellency the Governor set out by Water for Port-Royal, where the General Assembly of this Pro- o meet on Thursday next.

DIED.] Lately at Philadelphia, where he went for the Benefit of his Health, Robert Randall, Esq; of John's Island.---In this Town, Mr. Newman Swallow, Merchant.

ARRIVALS from this Port.

The Anne, Duncan; Hudson, Bacon; and Nancy, Chene, at London.---The Live-Oak, Lundberry, at Bristol.---The Admiral Spry, Hill; and Duke of Athole, Grinley, at Cowes.---The Peter & Anne, Blundell, at Gosport.---The Fame, Thornton; and Peggy, Hastie, at Lisbon.---The Charles-Town, Munro, at Rhode-Island.

Arrived from North-Carolina. The Diligence, Bonner, at Bristol.---The Nanny, Cheevers, at Liverpool.---The Kingston, Clark; and American, Moody, at Hull.---The Betsey, Smith, off Hastings.

Arrived from Georgia: The Sweepstakes, Lamb, at Poole.

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Sept. CUSTOM-HOUSE, ENTRIES INWARD. *From*
30th. Snow Princess-Royal, Charles Jenkins, Bristol
Brig Unity, John Ash, London
Oct. 1st. Sloop Ranger, Abraham Simmons, Rhode-Island
Schooner George-Town, William Curtley, N. Carolina
3d. Schooner Little-Peggy, Jeremiah Smith, New-Providence
5th. Sloop Polly, William Piggott,
Sloop Ranger, Richard King,

Sept. ENTRIES OUTWARD
28th. Schooner Dispatch, Benjamin Minor
30th. Brig Hawke, Robert Neil,
Oct. 1st. Brig Friendship, Joseph Blewer,
3d. Snow Princess-Royal, Charles Jenki

Sept. CLEARED FOR DEPAR
30th. Schooner Fancy, Benjamin Barton,
Brig Hawke, Robert Neill,
Oct. 1st. Schooner Savannah-Packet, John
2d. Schooner Dispatch, Benjamin Minor
3d. Schooner Dolphin, Thomas Bowditch
Bark Betsey, William Morgan,
Sloop Sally, Thomas Wederstrandt,

NEW ADVERTISE

Just imported in the Pallas, *Captain* Bai
a large and compleat Cargo of C

AMONG WHICH ARE,

A Great Variety of rich and fashionable SILKS, large and compleat Sets of Table and Tea CHINA, cut Glass Epergnes and Candlesticks, handsome Looking Glasses in Mahogany and white carved Frames, a great Variety of Copper Blanc-Mange Shapes, &c. which will be sold very reasonably, at my Store in Broad-street.

ROGER SMITH.

WHO again intreats all Persons indebted to the Estate of Mr. ANDREW RUTLEDGE, deceased, (particularly those who have open Accounts) to discharge their respective Debts without Delay, otherwise he will be obliged to put them in Suit.

On FRIDAY *the* 16*th of* OCTOBER, *at* 10 *o'Clock in the Forenoon, will be sold at the* STORE *in* Beadon's-Alley, *lately possessed by Messieurs* ROBERT *and* NATHANIEL STOTT,

A Large CONSIGNMENT of broad and narrow Yorkshire CLOTHS and DUFFILS, Shalloons, striped and plain Camblets, Bed Blankets, Yarn and Worsted Hose, Worsted and Yarn Caps, white and coloured PLAINS, &c.

Three Months Credit will be given, for all Sums above *Two Hundred Pounds*, giving approved Security, and good Bills of Exchange on London will be taken at the End of Three Months, from any Person who may buy to the Amount of FIFTY POUNDS Sterling.

RICHARD YEADON,

WATCH and CLOCK MAKER,

Has imported by the Mermaid, Captain Ball, from London,

A neat ASSORTMENT of JEWELLERY,

A Great Variety of Paste Shoe Buckles Knee and Stock ditto, Cornelian, Moco, Cyphe Scotch Pebble, and Crystal Buttons and Studs, Silver an Watch Seals, Garnet Hoop Rings, Garnet Ear-rings in Gold, Garnet Shirt Buckles set in Gold and Silver Gold ditto, Paste Neck-laces with Bows and Fall and Marquisite Ear-rings, Paste Bows and Cr[illegible] great Variety of Hair Sprigs and Pins, jewelled an Combs, Marquisite and Gilt Lockets, Gold Ear and Bobs, plain Gold Rings, Silver, Steel, an Watch Keys, Silver, plated, Pinchbeck, and Mo[illegible] Buckles, Chapes for ditto, plated Spurs, gilt Button (London-made) Silver ditto, Silver Thimbles, Watch Hooks, Ladies Key ditto, Tooth-pick Cases, Mock Gar[illegible] and Pearl Necklaces, enamelled Snuff Boxes, &c. &c.

N. B. The above Goods will be sold cheap, at his Sho[illegible] Broad-street, next Door to Mr. HOLIDAY's Tavern.

DAWSON & WALTER,

Have just imported by the Mermaid, *Captain* Ball, *and* Amity, *Captain* Ash, *from* LONDON,

A Large and general Supply of GOOD for the preſent and Winter Seaſon, which, with th late Importations from Briſtol, furniſhes their Stores b in Town and Country, with very complete Aſſortmer which they are determined to ſell reaſonable.

Among which are moſt Kinds of IRONMONGE and PLANTATION TOOLS.

SILK MERCERY, a large and valuable Aſſortment the neweſt Faſhions, ſay about Forty Pieces, Satins, B cades, flowered and Tobine Luteſtrings, &c. theſe will ſold very cheap.

LINEN DRAPERY, a good Aſſortment, among which are, new Copper Plate Bed Furnitures, Prints of moſt Kinds, cheap Iriſh Linens, Lawns, Cambricks, Muſlins, ſtriped and plain, &c.

WOOLLEN DRAPERY, a large Aſſortment of new faſhioned ſuperfine BROAD CLOTHS, alſo coarſe Cloths, Bath Coating, &c. Cuffey for Chair Linings, with Bindings, Nailing, &c.

A large Aſſortment in Cutlery, Haberdaſhery, Hoſiery, Saddlery, Ribbons, Glaſs, China, and Grocery, in the laſt is a Cheſt of fine Hyſon TEA, Raiſins, Currants, Almonds, &c.

ALSO, Some elegant Stove Grates with Fenders, &c. complete, Wilton Carpets, Olives, Pickles, Spermaceti Candles, faſhionable Gold and Silver Buttons, Split Peaſe, &c. *Alſo*, Five Hundred Pair of good Negro Shoes.

WILLIAM SCOTT, jun.

Has juſt received per the Amity, *Captain* Aſh, *from* London, *a large and general aſſortment of* GOODS, *which he will diſpoſe of on the moſt reaſonable terms, at his ſtore on the Bay, among a variety of other* ARTICLES, *are the following, viz.*

FASHIONABLE BROAD CLOTHS, with trimmings, German ſerges, black and blue ſerge deniſm, Bath coating, blue cotton velvets, ſtriped flannels, ſwanſkins, men and boys blue ſurtout coats, bearſkin ditto, blue rug, and fearnought great coats, pea jackets, ſcarlet cloaks and cardinals, London duffils, bed blankets, womens black quilted petticoats, womens black ſilk cardinals, bombazeens, calamancoes, durants, tammies, ſtriped and plain camblets, ſtarrets, neat blue, red, and white patterns for beds, dark ground chintz cottons, printed handkerchiefs, cambricks, lawns, bed lace, Iriſh linens, ſheeting ditto, table cloths, black, blue, and brown taffetas, bliſom and green ſtriped mantuas, black flowered ſatins, Perſians, ribbons, womens purple and ſatin mitts, mens purple, beaver, and buckſkin gloves, men, women, and childrens worſted and cotton hoſe, mens neat ſaddles and bridles, boys ditto, portmanteaus, ſaddle cloths, houſings, chair whips; family medicines, ſweet oil, muſtard, black pepper, pickled walnuts, capers, anchovies, Poland ſtarch, raiſins and currants, men and boys faſhionable hats, broad hoes, falling axes, ſocket ſpades, chiſels, augers, corn mills, fire dogs, ſhovels and tongs, chamber and kitchen bellows, cloſet locks, &c. Rum, ſugar, ſalt, Philadelphia Flour, milk and water bread, &c.

AUDLEY & LONG,

Have juſt imported in the Heart of Oak, *Captain* Gunn, *and the* Pallas, *Captain* Bailey, *from* LONDON,

A large ASSORTMENT of GOODS,

Which are now opening, at their Store at Bacon's-Bridge;

AMONGST WHICH ARE,

SUPERFINE BROAD CLOTHS, with ſuitable trimmings, 6-4th wide Yorkſhire ditto, German ſerges, Bath coating, crimſon and ſcarlet hair ſhag, blue, green, black and buff colour breeches pieces, brown and white Ruſſia drab, camblets, calamancoes, and durants; an aſſortment of printed linens, cottons, and chintzes, 7-8th and yard wide Iriſh linens, long, clear, and piſtol lawns, flowered ditto, flowered and corded dimity, India Perſians, black mode and peelong, humhums and white calicoes, pound and ounce thread, womens black ſilk hats, chip ditto, mens coarſe and fine ditto, black Barcelona handkerchiefs and cravats, ſcarlet cloaks, and cardinals, men and womens gloves; an aſſortment of ribbons, linen and cotton checks, ſtriped hollands, bed hunts, with bolſters and pillows, clouting diapers, huckaback and dowlas, 3-4th and 7-8th garlix, ſheeting linens, men and womens cotton, thread, and worſted hoſe, youths ditto, men and boys ſhoes and pumps, womens calamanco ditto, rice and flour ſieves, broad hoes and falling axes, nails and other cutlery; medicines, ſtarch, blue, currants and raiſins, ſpices, &c. with white, blue, and green PLAINS, London and Briſtol duffils, bed blankets, &c.

They have alſo received per the Prince of Wales, *Captain* Moore, *from* Philadelphia,

Superfine FLOUR in kegs, milk, butter, and water bread, earthen ware, &c. which, with RUM, Madera, and Port WINE, SUGAR and MOLASSES, will be ſold on the moſt reaſonable terms, and country produce at the market price, received in payment.

LEFT in our Poſſeſſion, by Captain WILLIAM CURLING, of the Ship KING-GEORGE, when laſt in Port, a Hogſhead of LOAF SUGAR. The Owner may have ſaid Hogſhead, by deſcribing the Mark and Number, and applying to the Subſcribers.

WOODBERY & LORD.

Who have for Sale, a Quantity of Kerſhaw's ſuperfine FLOUR, in Barrels.

STRAYED or ſtolen off the Green, on Tueſday laſt, a bay roan horſe, about thirteen hands and an half high, paces and trots, branded on the mounting buttock ⅄, and a grey ſtreak or ſpot on each ſide of the neck near the mane. Whoever brings the ſaid horſe to me in Charles-Town, ſhall have FIVE POUNDS currency reward, and reaſonable charges.

October 2, 1772. GEORGE FLAGG.

TO BE SOLD,

A Light genteel POST CHARIOT, with Harneſs complete. Enquire of HEWET, Coach-Maker, near the White-Meeting.

Ba... ...y a few pieces of Half-Ell plain Mantuas, ſtriped and flowered Luteſtrings, and faſhionable rich Brocades, Satins, Peelongs, Sarſenets, Alamode, and Gauzes; Silk, Worſted, and Cotton Hoſe, Womens Brocade, Satin, and Calamanco Shoes and Pumps, Men and Womens black and coloured Silk Gloves, Tea, Loaf-Sugar, and Spices, faſhionable Ribbons of all Kinds; a Variety of Table and Tea China in Sets, Glaſs Ware, &c.

N. B. A Trunk of Iriſh LINENS, conſigned for Sale, to be diſpoſed of together, or in Lots, at EIGHT and a HALF for ONE.

They alſo continue a STORE *on Colonel* BEALE's *Wharf, well ſupplied with all Kinds of*

NORTHWARD ARTICLES,

And have juſt imported a FRESH CARGO, *by the* CHARLES-TOWN PACKET, *from* PHILADELPHIA,

OF ſuperfine FLOUR, in Half Barrels and Kegs, Hopkins's Milk, Water, and Butter Biſcuit, Rum, Hams, Soap, Candles, Starch, Windſor Chairs, Muſtard, Horſes Collars and Hames, a Hand-Fan for cleaning Grain, with a Screan to it, to be ſold *cheap*; and the beſt Prices will be given for clean FLAX SEED in any Quantities.

ROBERTS & TAYLOR,

Have imported in the *Mermaid*, Captain *Samuel Ball*, ſen. from *London*, and the *Sally*, Captain *Benjamin Berry*, from *Briſtol*,

A large ASSORTMENT of GOODS,

Purchaſed from the different MANUFACTORIES, by Mr. ROBERTS, in England, and will be ſold on the very loweſt Terms, at their *STORE*, the Corner of Tradd-ſtreet and Beadon's Alley, viz.

WHITE PLAINS, of an extra width and quality, blue and green ditto, beſt London DUFFILS, *ſmaller ditto, a few pieces of faſhionable broad cloths, and Bath coating, with ſuitable trimmings; one neat Italian London made* RIDING CHAIR, *black and coloured taffetas and Perſians, rich black India luteſtrings and poduſoys, yard wide and 6-4 book muſlin, ſprigged ditto, ditto and ſtriped, India and Engliſh chintz, chintz and cotton counterpanes, matraſſes; a variety of thread and blond lace, edgings, Hanover lace, womens pack thread and turn-ſleys, ſilk and ſtuff quilted petticoats, camblets for negro wenches gowns, fine white chip and cane hats, white and black cat gut, cyprus and ſpotted gauze, white and black Paris net, figured and long lawns, white bordered handkerchiefs, ditto with red and blue borders, black Barcelona ditto, and cravats, 3-4, 6-4, 8-4, and 10-4 buckabacks, damaſk and diaper tabling, clouting diaper, white bed lace, fringe and taſſils, white and dyed Ruſſia drabs, nankeens, Ruſſia linen, men and womens cotton and thread hoſe, childrens ditto, men's ſuperfine black, blue, and buff colour breeches patterns, men and youths faſhionable beaver hats, ditto felt and caſtor, velvet and leather jocky caps; ſome compleat ſets of elegant blue and white, and enamelled table china, one ſet of blue and white breakfaſt ditto, blue and white breakfaſt and afternoon cups and ſaucers, ditto half pint bowls and ſaucers, chocolate and coffee cups, milk pots, ſugar diſhes, tea pots, ſlop and punch bowls, Queen's ware, red clay, white ſtone, blak glazed, delph, and glaſs ware, amongſt the latter are ſome handſome candleſticks cut all over, quart and pint decanters cut and flowered, wine glaſſes wormed and neatly flowered, cut ſhanked bumper ditto, tumblers with and without covers, pint and half pint cans, new faſhioned India ſpoons, jelly glaſſes with and without handles, glaſs biſhops, &c. rich Perſia carpets from 1-4 to 18-4, Wilton and Scotch carpeting, large looking glaſſes richly carved and gilt, ladies dreſſing glaſſes, ſwinging ditto; a quantity of handſome fowling pieces of William Mansfall's make, among which are ſome fluel and ſilver mounted lock locks, with rollers and gold touch-holes, gun locks, ſome very neat japanned waiters and tea kitchens.*

A large Aſſortment of NAILS, COOPERS, and CARPENTERS TOOLS,

Sheet and bar lead, quern and grind ſtones, New England falling axes, ſocket ſpades, rice ſickles, beſt broad hoes with welted eyes and long creſts, ſtrong iron wire rice ſieves with deep rims, iron wedges, ox and cart traces, beſt whip and croſs-cut ſaws, frying pans, pot hooks, grid irons, ſad irons, iron pots, long and ſhort pipes, PERFUMERY, FAMILY MEDICINES, very fine HYSON and BOHEA TEA, ſingle and double refined loaf ſugar, raiſins, currants, and almonds.

N. B. They have on hand, a large quantity of checks, Iriſh linens, and oſnabrugs, which will be ſold much under the common advance.

STOLEN or ſtrayed from the ſubſcriber, a bay HORSE, branded on both buttocks I M, one ſide the IM is upſide down, and on the off ſide of his neck thus ∽, his mane cut, a ſtar in his forehead, docked tail, and ſtriped hoofs. Whoever delivers ſaid HORSE to me, at the ſign of the French horn, in Charles-Town, ſhall have ONE GUINEA reward. MARTIN CLIME.

TO BE SOLD,

A Very good CANOE, rows with four Oars, twenty-three Feet long, and in very good Order. Enquire of BENJAMIN WILKINS.

NINE for ONE---PRODUCE.

HENRY RUGELEY, & Co.

Have imported in the Pallas, Bailey, *from* London,

FRENCH and Spaniſh Olives, Capers, Anchovies, Walnuts, Durham Muſtard, Florence Oil, Linſeed Oil, Spices of all Sorts, Queen's Ware, Plates, Diſhes, Fruit Baſkets, &c. a Variety of India Chintzes, Callicoes, printed Linens and Cottons of the neweſt Patterns, faſhionable figured Luteſtrings, Tobines and Brocades, India Taffetas, Perſians, Ginghams, &c. black and white Lace, Satin, pink, and white ditto, Buck, Doe, and Wooſtock Gloves, Shot, Lead, &c.

Theſe, added to their former large Stock, make a general Aſſortment of Goods in different Branches, which they will ſell on their cuſtomary low Terms; the ſame Aſſortment will be found at the Store opened by

RUGELEY's & CHATERIS,

In KING-STREET,

Where they take in all Kinds of Country Produce, at the beſt Prices; a general Aſſortment of Goods, particularly adapted for the back Country, is laid in, and will be ſold on the ſame low Terms.

*** Carolina FLOUR in Barrels, and BUTTER in Firkins, of various Sizes, for SALE.

TO BE SOLD by private contract, by the ſubſcriber, and may be entered on immediately,

TWO valuable TRACTS of LAND, in St. James, Santee, pleaſantly ſituated on the ſea ſhore, oppoſite Cape Romain, and between 3 and 4 miles below the mouth of Santee river, which tracts contain 320 acres, large meaſure, 250 acres of which is exceeding good for rice, and may be made proper for indigo or corn, about 150 acres of high land ſuitable for corn or indigo, the remainder of the tracts are well ſupplied with ſawing timber, there is alſo a great quantity of oak wood on ſaid lands, and very convenient to a landing, of which there are three that large ſchooners may come up to. Upon the place is ſeveral convenient buildings, and a great many other improvements, with a ſaw-mill, which might be made very profitable with a little alteration; there is an exceeding proper place for a tide ſaw-mill.

Likewiſe to be SOLD,

Two other TRACTS, containing 1115 acres, more or leſs, joining the two former tracts: On the above tracts are, a large ſwamp, of which could be made a very good reſervoir for the lands on the ſea ſhore; there are alſo ſeveral other ſwamps that are proper for rice, in which ſwamps is a great quantity of cypreſs; the remainder of the lands are well ſupplied with good ſawing timber. The ſituation of the lands are ſuch, that a cannel may be continued from one already made, proceeding from the mill and running near three quarters of a mile, and may be carried to the farthest part of the lands without much trouble, which would be very neceſſary for conveying the timber down to the ſea ſhore, and turning a great quantity of water which would be of great ſervice to a mill.

Alſo, to be ſold, a PEW in the ſaid Pariſh Church.

Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe, may apply to the ſubſcriber, at Cainhoy, or to Mr. THOMAS JONES, Merchant, in Charles-Town, with whom the plats may be ſeen.

THOMAS WELLS.

N. B. Credit will be given for one, two, or three years, paying intereſt, and giving approved ſecurity.

TO BE SOLD REASONABLY,

TWO HAND ORGANS, one with three barrels and four ſtops, the other with one barrel and three ſtops, neatly finiſhed, by one of the beſt workmen in London. Enquire of WILLIAM TOUCH, oppoſite the *Baptiſt Meeting*, in *Old Church ſtreet*.

RUN-AWAY from the ſubſcriber, about two months ago, a negro fellow named CÆSAR, a bricklayer by trade, and well known in Charles-Town; he is a ſtout able fellow, about 5 feet 5 inches high, of a very black complexion, has large legs, big mouth, and ſome of his country marks on his breaſt. Whoever apprehends and delivers him to me, or the warden of the work-houſe, ſhall receive TEN POUNDS currency reward, and all reaſonable charges; and whoever will inform of his being harboured by any perſon, ſhall be well rewarded; by

MARTIN MILLER.

SEVERAL Chimnies having taken Fire ſince the late cool Weather ſet in, the FIRE MASTERS are Sorry there ſhould be ſo much Reaſon to cenſure the Inhabitants of this Town, for their blameful Inattention in a Matter which ſo greatly concerns the Properties, and it may be, the Lives of the People here.---- It is therefore hoped, that all Landlords as well as Maſters of Families, ſhall immediately have their Chimnies well cleaned of Soot, and take Care that they be conſtantly ſwept, once every Fortnight or three Weeks at fartheſt; for no Excuſe will be accepted in Abatement of the Penalty which the Law has impoſed againſt Defaulters in this Way. Moreover, it is expected, and will be inſiſted on, that all thoſe Chimnies, the Vents of which are ſo narrow, as not to admit a Sweeper, ſhould be pulled down and properly rebuilt. Were People to conſider, how little Engines can avail in Caſe a Fire ſhould happen when the Wind is high, they certainly would be careful to prevent Accidents of this Sort, as far as might be in their Power; for even allowing they had little or no Property of their own to looſe, yet the Duty they owe to their Neighbour, and the Community in general, ought to induce them to guard againſt ſuch diſtreſſing Caſualties, whereby Numbers might be involved in Ruin.---- Further, Joiners, Houſe Carpenters, Cabinet Makers, and others who work in Wood, are hereby cautioned to clear their Shops of Shavings every Evening, and not to allow any Perſon to work either by Fire or Candle-Light, after Dark; for this Town has been often endangered by theſe Means, and almoſt one Half of it was conſumed even in the Middle of the Day, within our own Memory, by making a Fire too near Shavings and other very combuſtible Materials.

GABRIEL MANIGAULT,
GEORGE SHEED,
JOHN EDWARDS,
} Fire-Maſters.

Charles-Town, September 29, 1772.

*** Advertiſements omitted this Week, for want of Room, ſhall be in our next.

A QUARTERLY MEETING of the
GERMAN FRIENDLY SOCIETY, will be held on
WEDNESDAY the 21st of OCTOBER next, at
Mr. JOHN HATFIELD in CHARLES-TOWN
MEMBERS are desired to attend precisely at
in the Forenoon.

By Order of the Stewards,
CHARLES GRUBER, Clerk.

The SUBSCRIBER,

GOING TO LEAVE THE PROVINCE,

REQUESTS the Favour of all
who are indebted to him to call and settle
JACOB VALK, in whose Care the Books, &c.
and who is authorised by me to give full
Discharges for any Debts thereon, and for the
covery thereof.

September 25, 1772. JOHN WA

THE SUBSCRIB

HAVING DECLINED THE

STABLING BUSINESS,

REQUESTS his Friends to
their Horses by the 15th of *October*; an
indebted, will not fail to settle with him before
as he propose then to return to his Plantation.

JOHN RIVERS.

GEORGE THOMSON,

Has imported in the Mermaid, *Captain* Ball,

His Winter GOODS,

CONSISTING of most Articles that are
necessary for that Season, which he will
dispose of as usual, at his STORE in *Tradd-Street*.

N. B. A neat Assortment of CHINA, in which is some fancy China.

THE Subscriber has imported in the last Ships from LONDON, a great Variety of the very best superfine BROAD CLOTHS, of the newest Colours, CASSIMERS, BATH COATING, with suitable Trimmings, Gold and Silver spangled Buttons, of the newest Fashion, Silk and Worsted Piece, embroidered Shapes for Waistcoats, of an elegant and substantial Quality. Plush and coarse Cloths for Liveries. Gentlemen may be supplied on the shortest Notice, and may depend on having the best Materials, and on the most reasonable Terms, as all his GOODS are bought with READY MONEY, so that he is enabled to furnish his Friends better than any other Person in Town, and without troubling them with different BILLS.

JOHN WARD, TAYLOR.

☞ Very great Encouragement will be given to two Journeymen Taylors.

CARNE & POINSETT,

Have just received per the Mermaid, Captain Ball, from London, and the last Ships from Bristol,

A VERY LARGE AND GENERAL

ASSORTMENT of DRUGS,

CHYMICAL, GALENICAL, AND FAMILY MEDICINES;

MAHOGANY Medicine Chests, with Ground Stoppers and Specie Bottles, Glass Mortars and Pestles, &c. Bristol Water, in Hampers, Marble Mortars and Pestles, Surgeons Capital and Pocket INSTRUMENTS, Steel-spring Trusses, Pewter and Ivory Syringes, white and brown Candy, Barley Sugar, Comfits and Turkey Figs: Also a compleat Assortment of PICKLES and GARDEN SEEDS. All which they will dispose of on the most reasonable Terms, at their SHOP in Elliott-street, facing Boden's-Alley.

N. B. Orders from the Country punctually and expeditiously complied with.——Proper Allowances made to Practitioners.

BOXES of MEDICINES fitted up as usual.

For PHILADELPHIA,
THE BRIG
FRIENDSHIP,
JOSEPH BLEWER, Master,

HAS excellent Passagen
convenient Goods—For Freight or
Master on board, at Rowand's Wharf
DANIEL & ISAAC BOURDEAUX.

TO BE SO

Seventy or Eighty Head
OF
Fine Large SHEEP,

Belonging to the ESTATE of EDW. WILKINS, deceased;—to be seen at his WILL-
Apply to
MORTON WILKINS, Executor.

☞ Those who are still indebted for
the Vendue of the said deceased, are desired
mediate Payment.

RUN-AWAY from the Subscriber, near two Years
Fellow named HARRY,
both in Town and Country
that will give Information
harboured by any white Person
One Hundred Pounds Reward,
Pounds, if by a Negro; also
of *Fifty Pounds* will be given to any Person that
said Fellow, and deliver him to Mr. *John*
in *Charles-Town*, or to the Subscriber at *Indian*

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pieces of fashionable SILKS, viz.
flowered satin, white and coloured ditto, black and white lace satin, plain and figured dimity and Marseilles quilting, India dimity, India taffetas, of most colours, rich black India satin, cambricks, long lawns, clear lawns, and pistol lawns, India chintzes, muslins, ditto handkerchiefs, Bath Brussels lace, and thread netting hoods.

FOR THE FASHION, viz.

Ladies and Girls CAPS, cloaks and cardinals, tuckers, hats and bonnets, shaneil and garland, boys black and coloured caps, ready made ruffles, &c. &c.

N. B. A few SHAPES, for mens jackets, embroidered with gold, silver, and silk.

TO BE SOLD,

And may be entered upon the first day of January next,

A Valuable TRACT of LAND, in *Prince-William's* parish, containing four thousand acres, of which there is thought to be twelve hundred acres of swamp, and capable of being made into four good rice plantations, joining Lands of Mr. *Drayton*, Mr. *Brailsford*, and Mr. *Fuller*, and is six miles from the landing, *Pegotalligo Bridge*. On the above tract are an overseer's house, barn, corn house, and other necessary buildings.

There is also a fine STOCK of CATTLE, &c. which will be sold.

LIKEWISE, TO BE SOLD,

And may be entered upon immediately,

A PLANTATION in the parish of *St. James, Goose Creek*, lately belonging to *Benjamin Huger*, Esq; containing nine hundred acres, more or less. On the premises are an exceeding good brick dwelling-house, a good barn, and corn-house, with an overseer's house, dairy, kitchen, wash-house, coach-house, and stables, all new and as complete as most in the province; and a large garden and orchard, very well laid out, and lately pailed in.

There is some genteel HOUSHOLD FURNITURE, which, together with the stock of cattle, and crop upon the ground, will be sold with the plantation, if the buyer chooses them.

The above lands, &c. are the property of Dr. *Thomas Caw*, who was obliged to leave the province on account of his bad state of health. The terms of sale may be known, and the titles to the lands seen, by applying to

ROBERT PHILP, his Attorney.

N. B. CREDIT will be given upon good security, and paying the interest regularly once a year.

WILLIAM SIMPSON,

Removed from Church-street, to the Store in Broad-street, lately occupied by Messieurs Atkinson & Sykes, *two Doors from the Exchange,*

Has to dispose of very cheap for Cash, or on short Credit,

A neat ASSORTMENT of GOODS,

Imported in the last Ships from LONDON, viz.

PAVILION gauzes, silk gauzes, plain, striped and flowered lawns, common and quilted counterpanes, quilted petticoats, with borders, bordered dimities, half-ell and yard wide dimities; a variety of jeans and fustians, checks from 10 nail to 6-4 wide, cotton hollands, felt and beaver hats, hosiery, saddlery, osnabrugs and Irish linens, six-quarters book muslin, damask and diaper table cloths, long lawns, printed linens and cottons, printed handkerchiefs, a suit of bed curtains.

A great variety of set stone, plain, and open work shoe, knee, and stock buckles, hair pins, ear-rings, garnet hoop rings, stone rings set in gold, gold and common lockets, necklaces, pocket books, quadrille pools with fish and matts, silver shoe and knee buckles, gold, silver, and gilt seals, garnet breast buckles set in gold, stone sleeve buttons set in silver, plated shoe, knee, and stock buckles, plated spurs, plated bits and stirrups, Dutch and temple spectacles, mock garnets, white and yellow metal buckles, pinchbeck buckles.

Chamber bellows, brass locks, brass sand black padlocks, double-bolted ditto, watch keys, brass castors, desk furniture, silver and brass thimbles, brass and plated candlesticks, brass snuffers with stands, bottle stands, powder flasks with different charges, tea urns, and coffee pots, Indian corn and coffee mills, sad irons, japanned tea trays from six to thirty inches, square and round, elegantly painted; a variety of table knives and forks, Barlow's pen knives, cutteaux, scissars, London lancets, horn and ivory combs, carpenters, coopers, and shoe-makers marking irons, snaffle and Pelham bits, steelyards, different kinds, chissels, gouges, iron and copper tea-brass desk locks, gridirons, chasing dishes, frying pans, hatchets, gimblets, rice hooks, wool and cotton cards, dozens, copper scales and weights, pins, Whitechapel and common needles in quarter-hundreds, brushes, hooks and hinges, gilt trunks, rice and ruffing sieves, narrow, broad and shoes, saws, steel spades; with sundry other articles, by the manufacturers with CASH.

Those who apply to him may rely upon being supplied on moderate terms.

N. B. A CONSIGNMENT of PRINTED LINENS TONS, to be sold at *Eight* for *One*, for which a GOOD will be taken in payment.

ALL Persons having any Demands against the Estate of Miss MARY STOLL, late of Charles-Town, are desired to bring in their Accounts, properly attested, before the First of November next, and those indebted to the Estate, are requested to make immediate Payment.

REBECCAH STOLL, Executrix.

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to the WORK-HOUSE.

1772. A new negro fellow, named JACOB, country; he is 5 feet 10 inches high, straight ed, has both his ears bored, and has a scar ye, speaks bad English, and says his master's

Taken up at *Combahee*.

1772. A negro fellow, of the *Angola* country, ll CÆSAR, says his master's name is *John* feet two inches high, thin visage, seven dots brows, each side his face, and breast, all his has on an old crocus wrapper and trowsers.

Swamp, near Mr. *Thomas Green*'s plan-

2. A negro fellow, of the *Guinea* country, English, says his name is JUNE, he is about his ears bored; has on a white negro cloth k stocking breeches.

2. A new negro, of the *Timene* country, e English, says his name is JOSEY, and his *alle or Pestel*, he is about 30 years of age, high, has his country marks on each cheek; has on a white negro cloth jacket and osnabrug trowsers. Taken up on *Santee* River, 12 miles from *George-Town*.

August 24, 1772. A negro man, of the *Guinea* country, says his name is SMART, and his master's name *John Ball*, lives at *Port Royal*, he is about 30 or 31 years of age, 5 feet 5 inches high; has on an osnabrug jacket and trowsers, brought with him a blanket.

August 17, 1772. A negro man, of the *Ebo* country, says his name is HARRY, and his master's name *James Sinclair*, he is about 25 or 26 years of age, 5 feet 5 inches high; has on a white negro cloth wrapper. Taken up in *Charles Town*.

August 25, 1772. A negro fellow, of the *Guinea* country, says his name is SAM, and his master's name *Gabriel Marion*, he is about 5 feet high, 19 or 20 years of age; has on a white negro cloth jacket. Taken up about 70 miles from *Charles-Town*.

September 11, 1772. A new negro wench, of the *Kissee* country, says her name is CLARINDA, but cannot tell her master's name; she is 5 feet 4 inches high, has her country marks over her whole body, and is about 30 or 35 years of age; has on a white negro cloth wrapper and petticoat. Taken up at *Black Swamp*, 16 miles above *Parrysburgh*, and 116 miles from town.

September 11, 1772. A new negro wench, of the *Kissee* country, says her name is LYDA, but can't tell her master's name; she is about 5 feet high, 39 or 40 years of age, her country marks on her breast; has on a white negro cloth wrapper and petticoat. Taken up at *Black Swamp*, 16 miles above *Parrysburgh*, and 116 miles from town.

September 14, 1772. A new negro man, of the *Angola* country, says his name is CÆSAR, but cannot tell his master's name, he is about 20 or 22 years of age, 5 feet [illegible] his country marks in his face; has on a white negro cloth jacket. Taken up at Colonel *Laurens*'s plantation, 40 miles from *Charles-Town*.

September 19, 1772. A negro girl, of the *Congo* country, says her name is JENNY, and belongs to Mr. [illegible] who has a plantation near the *Borough*, she is 4 feet [illegible] high; has on a white negro cloth wrapper, and [illegible] petticoat. Taken up at *Stono*, 16 miles from [illegible]

September 20, 1772. A new negro fellow [illegible] his own or his master's name, he is about 35 [illegible] age, 5 feet 1 inch high; has on an osnabrug [illegible] and a woollen hat. Taken up at *Black River*, [illegible] from town.

September 21, 1772. A new negro fellow [illegible] his own or his master's name, he is about 25 [illegible] 5 feet 8 inches high; has on an osnabrug shirt [illegible] at *Bear's Swamp*, 45 miles from *Charles-Town*.

September 21, 1772. A new negro fellow, of the *Kissee* country, his ears bored, five feet one inch high, and about 50 years old; has on a blue negro cloth jacket, with a green one under it, and a long osnabrug shirt. Taken up at Col. *Horry*'s plantation at *Santee*, about 40 miles from town.

September 22, 1772. A new negro man, of the *Timene* country, says his name is SMART, his ears bored, five feet six inches high; has on a white negro cloth wrapper.—Taken up at the *Cypress Pond*, in *Amelia* Township, 107 miles from town.

September 24, 1772. A negro boy, of the *Guinea* country, says his name is CHARLES, and that he belongs to Mrs. *Nancy*, speaks a little English, he is 5 feet high; has on a blue negro cloth jacket, and white negro cloth breeches. Taken up at Mr. *James Penderwis*'s plantation.

September 29, 1772. A new negro fellow, of the *Mendingo* country, says his name is CYRUS, but cannot tell his master's name, he is about 25 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high; has on a white negro cloth wrapper, check shirt, and osnabrug trowsers; brought with him a blanket. Taken up at Mr. *Cannon*'s plantation, ten miles from *Charles-Town*.

September 29, 1772. A negro girl, of the *Kissee* country, says her name is HESTER, and her master's name *Dunbar*, she is about four feet, one inch high, and nine or ten years old; has on a blue negro cloth jacket, and a white woollen petticoat. Taken up this side the *Quarter House*.

MICHAEL KALTEISEN, Warden.

TO BE LET,

THE Front STORE and CELLAR, where I live.

SIMON TUFTS.

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and RELEASES, Blank Bonds, Bonds with to confess Judgment, Mortgages, Copies of Sale, Powers of Attorney, Servants and Indentures, Bills of Lading, Indico Certificates ls, Shipping Papers, Warrants and Executions ts, Recognizances for the Peace, Writs of Fieri ions of Debt, and on the Case, Capias in Case, Militia Summons, and sundry other An Abstract of an Act for regulating the Rates of Ships and Merchandize, and ascertaining Storage in *Charles-Town*, to be sold by the

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